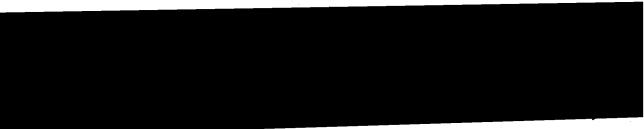


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- de Atomic Energy staff, called postart blocking out possible times for the Director to appear before the Joint Committee for the annual briding. Marchy suggested the possibilities of Sasch 19, 11, 17, 18 and 19. After checking with the Director's effice, I advised Murphy that Mr. McCome would not be available on the 10th or 18th but might possibly give the briefing on one of the other three dates. Without making a specific commitment it was agreed that we would determine whether Mr. McCome would give the briefing between the 17th and 19th. I have alerted OSI and who will check the Director on this in the next communication with him. OSI advised that there was very little change in the situation since the last briefing and I have passed this on to Murshy. However, I am sure the Joint Committee will still want the Director to amake an appearance at a convenient time.
- 5. (Unclassified . Talked with David Martin, in the office of Senator Thomas J. Dodd, regarding his draft release of a rebuttal to the Starnes article. Martin said that the Senator had not decided just how he wished to present this. Martin said he had agreed with the suggestion I made yesterday that the specific statements regarding the situation in Cuba at the time of the Datista decline and the references to William 25X1A Visiand should be excluded from the text and this has been done.



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that Congressman Paul F. Schenk (R., Chio) has requested information
from the Department of State concerning the use of the

and in the analysis of intelligence information prior to
the Bay of Figs. State Department will be responding and denying the
allegations set forth in the Drew Fearson column of some weeks ago.

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